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Thanks all for the very quick response!!

On Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 4:18 PM, Wootton, Rachel <rwootton@blm.gov> wrote:

Hi Jamie,

Thanks for your email. Tim Fisher worked with Larry Ridenhour in Recreation to collect this information. They briefed Megan Crandall and Karen Kelleher on October 16, 2017. The related briefing paper and visitation data are attached. The visitation data for the last few fiscal years was also provided to DOI for the National Monument Review.

Please let us know if you have any questions or need anything else!

Best,

Rachel

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On Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 3:19 PM, Pool, Jamie <jpool@blm.gov> wrote:

Sally, Tim, Rachel,

We just received an urgent request from the Department's Office of Congressional and Legislative Affairs (OCL) for visitation information at BLM-managed national monuments. Does 410 happen to compile visitation statistics?

After some quick research, it looks like the draft GSENM Manager's Report includes a section on visitor center contacts and recreational contacts on page 21-22 (attached). Do all of our

national monument reports include the same data, and, if so, are they publicly available? Also, how do we typically report national monument visitors as a group/single statistic? Ideally, it would be helpful to present in something like the following format (with a link to the source info if available): "In FY 2016 there were x.x million visitors to GSENM."

Thanks and please let me know if you have any questions!
Jamie

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